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FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
AMARILLO DIVISION

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DANNY LEE WARD,

Petitioner,

v.

WILLIAM STEPHENS,  
Director, Texas Dep't of Criminal Justice,  
Institutional Division,

Respondent.

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**ORDER OVERRULING OBJECTIONS,**  
**ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION**  
**and DISMISSING PETITION FOR A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS**

Petitioner has filed with this Court a petition for a writ of habeas corpus. On May 28, 2014, the United States Magistrate Judge issued a Report and Recommendation in this cause, recommending therein that the instant habeas application be dismissed. On July 15, 2014, petitioner filed objections to the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation.

The undersigned United States District Judge has made an independent examination of the record in this case and has considered the objections made by petitioner to the Report and Recommendation. The objections filed by petitioner are hereby OVERRULED and the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation is ADOPTED. Accordingly, the petition for a writ of habeas corpus is DISMISSED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

ENTERED this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July 2014.

*Mary Lou Robinson*  
MARY LOU ROBINSON  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE